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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

DN A01033

In re application of

Ward T. Brown.

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Filed: May 1, 2001

Examiner: A.A. Chevalier

For: WEAR-RESISTANT COMPOSITE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING
THE COMPOSITE

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action in the above-identified application mailed on February 28, 2003. Applicant respectfully requests the examiner to reconsider her rejection of claims 1-7 in view of the amendment and remarks herein, and to pass claims 1-7, as amended, to allowance at this time.

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Phyllis

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.